



*District Spouses*  
*Orientation Course*  
*Class 1-14*



*"I enjoyed getting to meet the other spouses from my station and spouses from the other stations in the District. It was also nice to discuss issues that all the spouses are having that are similar."*  
*-Haley Arbegast, RS Houston*



# DSOC

*DSOC arms spouses with tools and resources focused on facilitating a successful recruiting tour. The course orients spouses new to the district to the business of recruiting and helps them adapt to the unique challenges that may be encountered.*



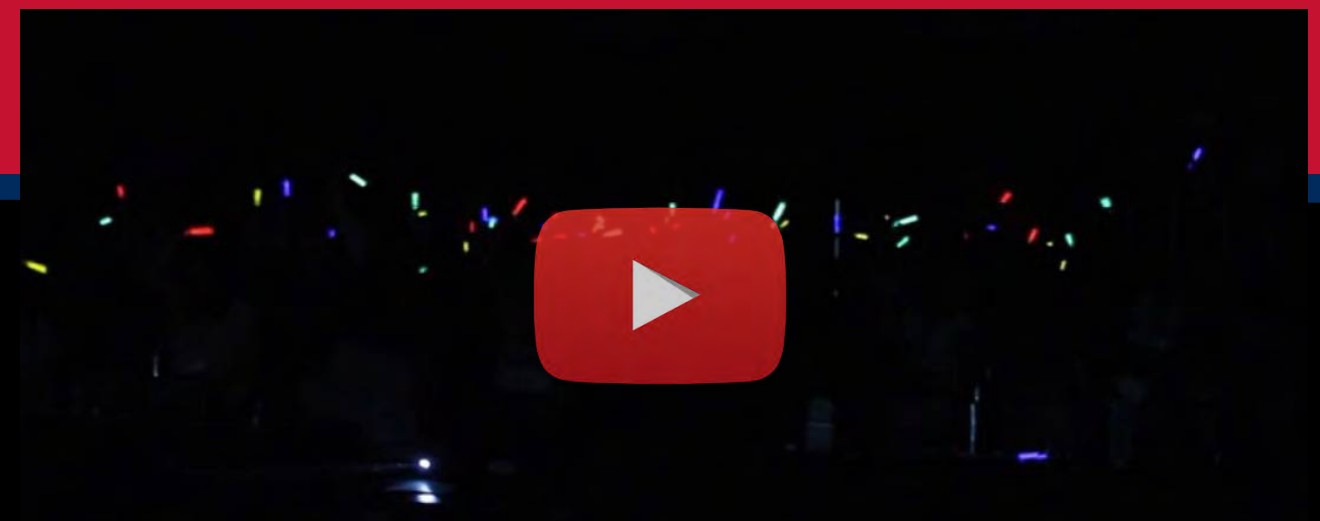


*"I really enjoyed the Four Lenses training and learning the communication methods, our personality, and how we can relate to other people. I'm excited to go and share what I have learned with other spouses."*

*- Courtney Boatright, RS Ft Worth*



*During the two days of DSOC, the spouses are instructed in numerous courses by experts in those subjects. The first brief the spouses received was Recruiting 101. This class gave them a basic understanding of the daily life of their Marine. In addition, the participants take classes to help with family life such as School Liaisons, the Exceptional Family Member Program, The Navy Marine Corps Relief Society, TriCare benefits and many others. Motivational speakers were brought in to help get them up and moving. They had many opportunities to learn more about their families and themselves. DSOC ended with the spouses receiving certificates from the commanding officer of the 8th Marine Corps District and a dinner. They left with a better understanding of the recruiting world.*







*"This course would definitely be beneficial for other spouses. It gives you a different perspective on recruiting. My favorite class was Recruiting 101 with MGySgt (Harper); it was extremely entertaining and I didn't want to take my eyes off of him, because I didn't want to miss anything he was saying."  
-Ashley Bobb, RS Fort Worth*





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